

March Building Permit Valuation Tops \$6 Million

A total valuation of \$6,638,340 in Torrance building permits were issued for the month of March, according to H. M. West, Inspector of Buildings.

Commercial buildings led with 16 permits for a valuation of \$2,875,000, followed by Single Dwellings with Valuation of \$2,110,250. Multiple buildings of 3 or more units was next with 9 permits for \$988,250 valuation.

Additions, alterations, and repairs to dwelling showed 16 permits for \$165,234 valuation.



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CANCER FUND AIDED—John Melville, Torrance unit crusade chairman of cancer campaign, accepts check for \$200 from Mmes. Richard A. Tewbert (left), president of Gamma Psi

Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha, and Peter Miller, treasurer. Money was raised by the sorority at its Gay Nineties Revue in December. Cancer drive runs through April.

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McMaster Park Plans Events for Vacation

Spring vacation events for youngsters of all age groups are planned next week at McMaster Park, according to Les Breitenfeldt, area director.

Easter craft and midget-car sessions are scheduled daily with a miniature auto competition on Friday.

Monday will be a day of sports and games. Nature study and a cook-out is set for Tuesday. On Wednesday, movies will be shown and there will be sports events for boys.

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MISS SEWELL

Gas Company to Sponsor Speaker Here

Miss Marjorie Sewell has been named to represent the Southern California Gas Co. as a special speaker in a series of talks designed for women's clubs and social groups.

She will be available for appearances in the company's Southwest division, according to George M. Babbe, gas company division manager.

For two years Miss Sewell was the top-ranking woman in inter-collegiate speech competition during her undergraduate days at Pepperdine College. A former high-school teacher, she taught speech, English, history, and journalism prior to joining the gas company.

For her initial series of presentations, Miss Sewell has prepared three speeches, "Simply Scandalous, My Dear," a collection of tongue-in-cheek vignettes of famous people from Henry David Thoreau to Carry Nation, "Gasman Save My Cat," and "The Tale of Mother Hubbard's Dog."

In "Gasman" Miss Sewell deals with humorous incidents in the lives of gas-company men and women in the Southwest division. In "Mother Hubbard" she tells of gas company operations in nursery rhyme.

Miss Sewell's talks may be scheduled without charge by writing Babbe's office at 158 S. LaBrea Ave., Inglewood.

Spring Dance Set at Harbor

"Swing into Spring," Harbor College's mid-semester dance, will be held, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., tomorrow in the Pageant Room of the Wilton Hotel Long Beach.

The dance will follow a leap-year theme. Special features will include an exhibition by professional dancers and a cha-cha contest for students.

Mary Tewksbury, chairman of the college dance committee, is in charge of arrangements. Earl Williams and his band will furnish the music.

All Harbor College staff members and students are being invited to attend. Couples will be admitted by Associated Student Organization cards or by guest tickets purchased in advance at the college finance office.

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HARBOR COLLEGE OFFERS EIGHTY SUMMER COURSES

Eighty courses will be offered by Harbor College during the six-weeks summer session from July 5 to Aug. 12, according to an announcement by J. Reyburn Hatfield, LAHC Dean of Summer Session.

Among subjects to be offered are physics, chemistry, geology, biology, mathematics, engineering business, English, speed reading, electronics, printing, architecture, art, drafting, philosophy, speech, nursing, history, and psychology.

All courses are tuition free and carry regular college credit. Classes meet from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. Mondays through Fridays. No admission tests or transcripts

are required. Any high school graduate or person 18 or over may attend.

Counselors will help students plan their programs during registration and will be available during the entire summer session.

Early registration for all students will be held from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. on May 19 and 20; from 4 to 8 p.m. on May 19; and from 6 to 8 p.m. on May 20. Regular registration will be held from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., and from 6 to 8 p.m. on June 29 and 30, and on July 5 and 6. No appointments are necessary.

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